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T. W. HANSON

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The American Revolution



Photo by Mike Wolff
PRESIDENT COOLIDGE DEPICTING
A NATIONAL SCENE

Prize Essay by Calvin Coolidge when a Senior in Amherst

CALVIN COOLIDGE AS A SENIOR IN AMHERST
Illustration from photo by Mike Wolff

second. And he continues:

But there is another side where the requirement of the state runs over into tyranny. Only on this ground can resistance to taxation be justified. So long as the colonies were a part of the state of Great Britain, and colonists were by their charters and by the action of William and Mary—that state had the right to demand not only their property, but their service in the army and, in the last extremity, their lives. It cannot be then, that the American Revolution was fought that they might escape paying taxes. The great struggle that they passed through must make such a duty seem insignificant. The real principle was not one of the right of the state or the duty of the citizens. It was a question of government, a question of form and method. It is that that is meant above, in the statement that the struggle was not between nations or for new principles. It was not so much a revolution, a propagation of new ideas, as the maintenance of the old forms of representative government of chartered rights and constitutional liberty. England had fought for this in 1688 and imagined it was secured. But it was only so in name.

George III was by nature a despot; at heart he was another Stuart. He had the parliament almost completely under his control in his legislation upon British questions, but in regard to the king's colonies his will was supreme.

He forced a policy of government upon America that he could not and dared not force upon England, though his disposition was strong enough. Were the descendants of Cromwell's Puritans going back to submit to a Stuart regime?

That is what is meant when we hear that America fought at once the battle of freedom in the colonies and in England. That is what England's great statesman meant when he declared on the floor of parliament that he rejoiced in the resistance of the colonies. The earl of Chatham knew that the government of George III, in whose ears was ringing the admonition of his mother "to be king," was undermining the constitution of Great Britain and bringing the state into the forms of non-archy that had existed in the times of the Stuarts and the Tudors.

But if the leading principle was the preservation of English constitutional government from the encroachments of king and parliament, says the essayist, there is another principle as far-reaching as the development of the state in government. Sovereignty is always finally vested in the people. And he goes on:

If the king could have accommodated himself to the existing state of affairs for America as he managed to do for England, there would have been the limited constitutional monarchy that Great Britain has known in 1820. But this was impossible, and no colonies were driven to assert by war what the commons of England partly gained by legislation sixty years later. There was further gained in the United States a recognition that quality, not quantity, is the basis of the people of man and accordingly all men were declared free and equal.

Still, there is another factor that must have eventually led to separation. The great land of America had a part to play in the history of the world that could best be performed by making it an independent nation.

England's great work was to plant colonies. America could not aid in that work. It was her place to found a great nation on this side of the Atlantic and bring out the conception of free government.

And when this was done, concludes the essayist, then America stretched out her hand over the sea to aid the oppressed of Europe, to furnish them a place of refuge, and as soon as they could assume the duties, make them citizens, not alone of our United States, but of the world.

Finally the situation of the British grew perilous, and on the night of June 18 the army evacuated Philadelphia.

Congress came back to Independence hall on July 2, and some time in the following October the great old bell, which had been removed to a place of safety during the British occupation of the city, came trundling back home after an absence of more than a year.

And the prophetic text came with it:

When the holder has obtained a position he must notify the government, which enters the fact and the name of his employer in the book. The man must continue to present himself for examination at stated periods and when he gives up his job or is fired he must again make his way to the government offices to have his record so entered.

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The American Legion

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TAYLOR'S WORK FOR COMPENSATION BILL

When the news that the adjusted compensation bill had been passed over the Presidential veto by the senate flashed from Washington to Indianapolis where fifty or more American Legion national executive committee members were in session, one name, and one name only was in their minds—John Thomas Taylor.

For more than five years Taylor, a young Washington lawyer of recognized brilliance and an ardent Legionaire, had been directing the Legion's fight for passage of the bill. Either as chairman or vice chairman of the Legion's national legislative committee, he had been steering legislation beneficial to the disabled veterans and other ex-service men. He knew every senator, every representative in Washington. He was liked for his winning personality, his brilliance of mind and his ability to present a case convincingly to the men in whose hands rested the fate of legislation in which the Legion was interested. Six times he had got the adjusted compensation measure through the house by overwhelming majorities. Three times the senate had given the bill its support. Once fate intervened and blocked its final enactment, once the late President Harding had swept away Taylor's efforts with a stroke of the pen.

But this time, he intended nothing to interfere. The crucial moment had arrived, and as Taylor says himself, "when the battle is hottest, I think the quicker and don't lose my head."

With consummate skill he brought the pressure to bear which defeated efforts to have action by the senate delayed



John Thomas Taylor.

for a week, which the opposition hoped would be sufficient time to rally enough votes to sustain President Coolidge's veto. As the time drew close on May 10 for the final vote, Taylor, in an anteroom sat outlining his campaign. By his preconcert, jotted on a piece of paper which he held before him, the opposition had twenty-seven votes.

A friend dashed in with the news that a senator had moved the bill for vote.

"Are you ready, Taylor? Are you sure?" came the anxious queries from senatorial friends of the bill.

"Now or never. The Legion is going to win," said Taylor.

When the vote was finished the count stood 59 for and 26 against. One paired vote made Taylor's preconcert exactly right. He had figured precisely what was going to happen. It was not for nothing that he had stood guard over the Legion's legislative interests for six years. He had prepared graphs, charts and had worked for the passage of the adjusted compensation bill with the scientific preciseness of a chemist precipitating a chemical mixture.

The national executive committee of the Legion in recognition of Taylor's unflinching work, presented him with a handsome watch as a token of their esteem.

Taylor began his army life as a buck private in the infantry, May, 1917. He was then thirty-two years old. In August, 1917, he went to an officers' training camp and came out a first lieutenant. Seventeen months of overseas service followed during which he fought at Chateau Thierry, Vesle river and Meuse-Argonne. His outfit was the first to cross the border when the Army of Occupation moved into Germany. He was discharged a captain and returned to Washington to take up his neglected law practice. But Legion work interested him, and he has found the time to be responsible in a large measure for the passage of many pieces of legislation, notably the Sweet bill, which increased the compensation of disabled comrades.

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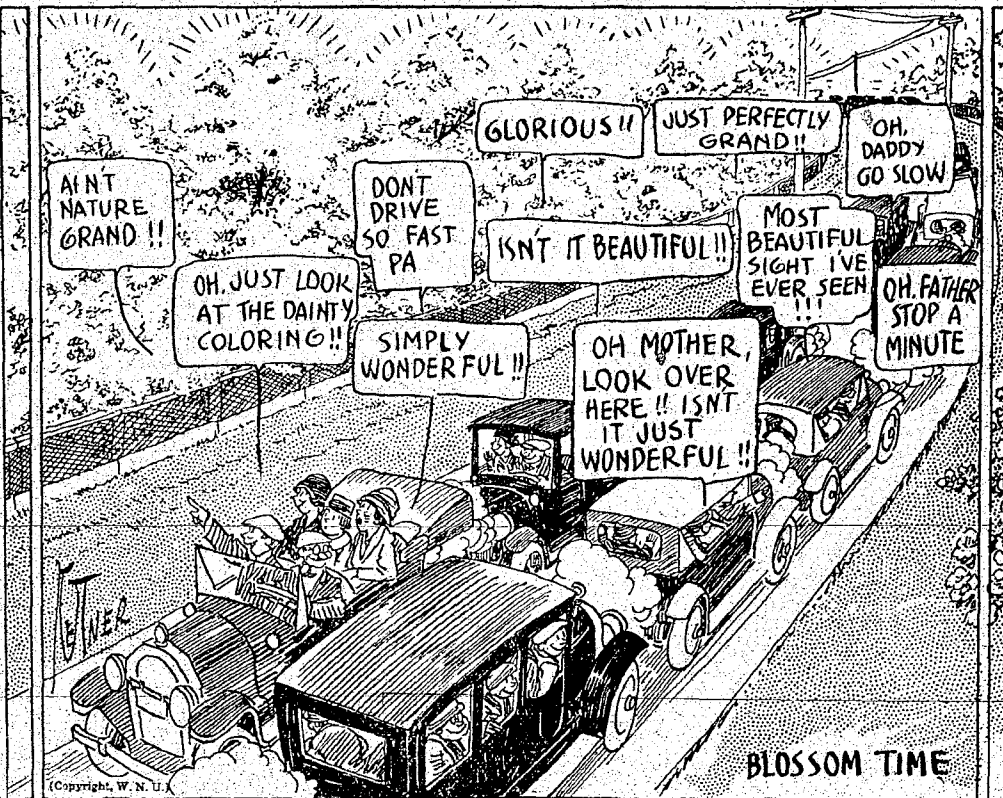
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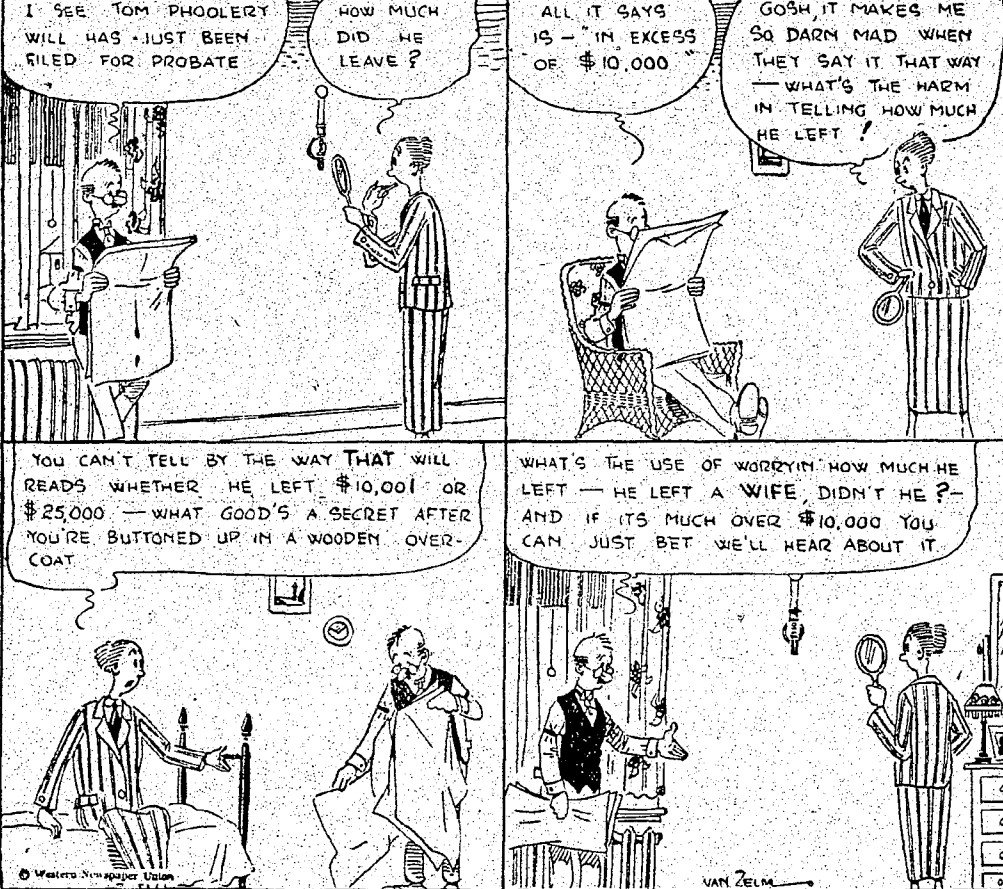
"I know that, but 'tain't our fault," Uncle Ben's civic pride led him to defend. "We've put caustics into it and everything."—American Legion Weekly.

OUR COMIC SECTION

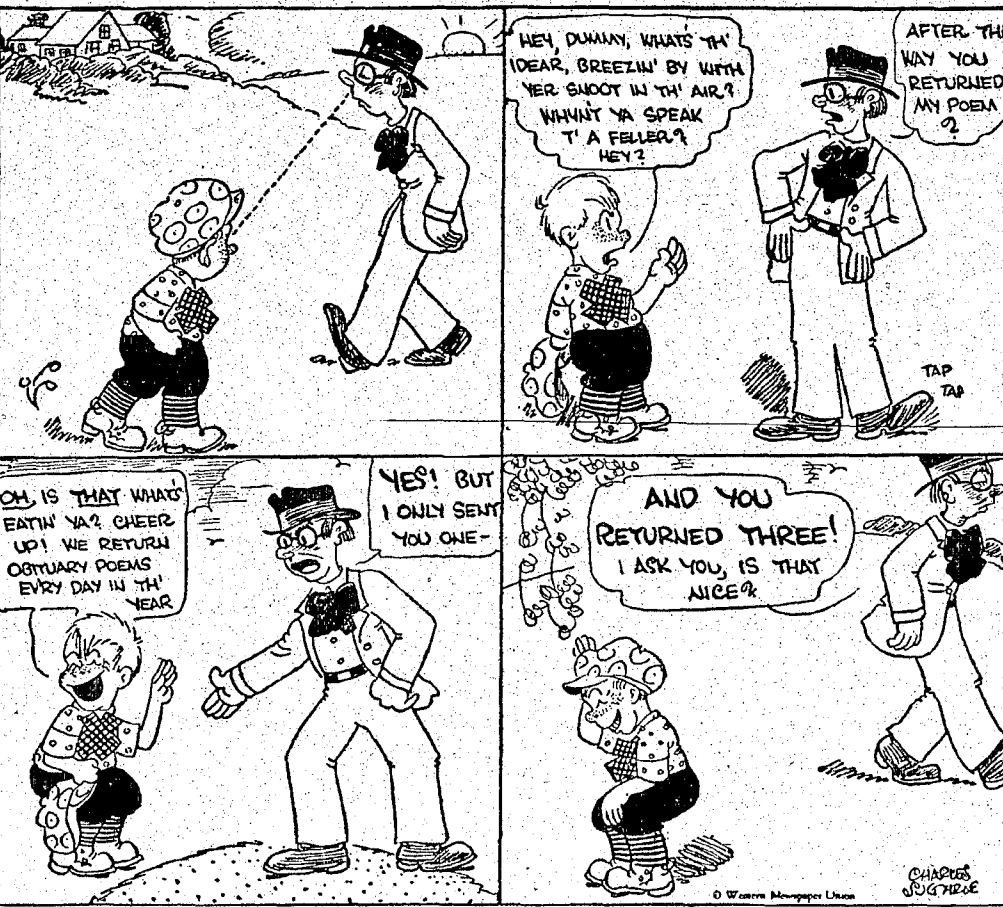
Along the Concrete



It Won't Lose Anything in the Telling



Cause for Peevishness



When the Old Bell Pealed Liberty to All

Fifteen days after the battle of Brandywine the British occupied Philadelphia (September 26) and passed there a joyous winter.

But on the following October 17, after several furious engagements, the Americans captured General Burgoyne and his entire army of 6,000 troops at Saratoga—and, what was of great importance just then, the patriots acquired a lot of perfectly good muskets, cannon and ammunition.

Not quite four months later (February 6, 1778) France signed a treaty of amity and commerce with the United States—thanks to our great old man, Ben Franklin. It meant an alliance for war.

When the good news got across the water and congress had ratified the treaty, the poor, half-starved American army at Valley Forge fired thirteen guns in celebration. The British in Philadelphia, twenty miles away, probably heard the sound and won-

Strict Watch Kept on Servants in Uganda

"The way of the transgressor is hard if one happens to be a native servant in Uganda," announced the man who had been on a recent trip to that country, according to the New York Sun. "There the government registers all seeking domestic employment, puts them through a strict physical examination and issues to them a book in which is written that the bearer is eligible for a job.

"After the holder has obtained a position he must notify the government, which enters the fact and the name of his employer in the book. The man must continue to present himself for examination at stated periods and when he gives up his job or is fired he must again make his way to the government offices to have his record so entered.

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Troy to purchase some provisions. It was Anderson's habit to stamp all boxes containing the goods with his initials and those of the United States, so that on the end of each box sent out were the letters E. A. and U. S.

Before each box went out it had to be inspected, and one of the inspectors was an old man, popular among his associates for his wit and good humor, named Samuel Wilson. Around the inspecting rooms he was known as "Uncle Sam." One time a new man in the office asked an employee what

the letters on the boxes, E. A. and U. S., stood for. The man, thinking to tease Uncle Sam a bit, answered: "E. A. for Robert Anderson, who contracts for the supplies, and U. S. for Uncle Sam, who inspects them."

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Home LOYALTY and Prosperity

HANS R. NELSON. Goodyear Service Station.

"Automobile Owners, Attention!" Where are you having your tires repaired and of whom are you purchasing new ones? The writer knows of a place where you will receive a little better value on tires, and a hearty welcome on all occasions. Just call on Nelson's Service Station. They will take care of your tire trouble promptly. This shop is thoroughly equipped to take care of automobile tires of all sizes. They handle the famous Goodyear tires. The tires that are the best by test. Tire Trouble has been one of the greatest "Joy Killers" in motoring. However with the rapid advance in automotive industry and the enormous demands for tires with better lasting quality, new facilities and processes have come into use, until today a shop equipped as this one, with modern devices for repairing tires, practically eliminates the motorist's worry about this line. This firm also has a modern filling station, and comfortable rest room in connection and carry a complete line of accessories, including Ford parts, Mobile and Polarine Oils in all grades. There you get free crank case service, and free air. Why worry when this firm offers such dependable service? How long has this station been established under present management?

McCULLOUGH & MATSON Barber Shop.

Leonard Wood drove the yellow fever out of Cuba. St. Patrick drove the snakes out of Ireland, but the barber, praise to him, has rid civilization of its greatest menace — he drives away whiskers. If it wasn't for the barber the United States Senate would look like a flock of Bolsheviks and the United States map would look like a fur rug. McCullough & Matson conduct Grayling's most dependable barber shop. Service is the motto with these expert and efficient barbers. This shop is kept under strict sanitary conditions at all times. Here you are assured of expert barber work done under antiseptic conditions; and shaves, baths in connection. The proprietors believe in safety first and are always very particular with their customers. Excellent service and absolute cleanliness is the feature which distinguishes this shop from all others. This shop also specializes in Hair Bobs and shampoo for ladies. Try McCullough & Matson and become convinced. How long has this shop been established under present management?

CORWIN AUTO SALES. STAR-DURANT-FLINT—SALES AND SERVICE.

With the ever increasing demand for motor cars as a means of transportation, the automobile industry is rapidly increasing to meet the requirements of the public. Each season brings forth many advanced improvements in mechanical perfection and body designs in motor cars. The Durant is one of the greatest achievements in motor perfection. In keeping with the policy of Mr. W. C. Durant, this motor car is presented without other claims to favor than the impression which its appearance and performance are making. In deciding what you wish to spend for motor car transportation, you can afford more to the purchase price and less to the running expense and upkeep, if you select a Durant. For the Durant is "Just a Real Good Car". Less than two years ago the public was treated to a real motor car value in the Star-Durant. However, they are due for another real treat in the new model of the already famous Flint. These new models are now on display at the Corwin Auto Sales, show rooms. The Flint has many improvements both in mechanical and in body designs. Don't miss seeing these new models at this Sales room before deciding on what car you buy. A complete service department where guaranteed workmanship is the paramount feature; also complete battery service. What are the prices of the various models of the Flint?

GRAYLING LAUNDRY Holger F. Peterson, Mgr.



We have heard the old saying "Experience is the best teacher." How true this proverb is, can be noted in the Grayling Laundry. Experience, together with strictly hand laundry work is responsible for the high grade service accorded people of this community. In dealing with this laundry you are placing your garments in the care of thoroughly dependable workmen; no injurious compounds used to ruin your clothes. The most careful house wife could not take better care of fine garments than they receive at this laundry. Fine work a specialty, expert workmanship and exceedingly fair prices go hand in hand in creating satisfied customers. The women of America stay young because she keeps her mind young. The modern world of hers find a thousand and one servants, and so instead of being merely a worker in the house she is a partner in the home. Among the youth-debasing tasks from which the women of America are freeing themselves is the weekly wash. Send your garments to the Grayling Laundry Company. They offer excellent workmanship, and the price is right. Prompt courteous service a specialty. Where is this laundry located? What is the phone number?

GRAYLING OPERA HOUSE.

The legitimate in the theatrical world has been hard pressed by the modern moving picture theatre. The celebrated actors and stars who were formerly seen on the legitimate stage are now to be seen on the screen. This enables us to enjoy the very best these artists produce at the small admittance price of a moving picture theatre, in fact at a price which enables every member of the family to attend regularly. For wholesome recreation and educational training, the modern picture show excels. The screen brings the marvels of the world before your eyes with its wonderful scenery in natural colors. The motion picture industry has advanced by leaps and bounds since its introduction only a few years ago, until today it is the leading industry of the country. It has come to stay—as one of the most popular means of wholesome recreation. Grayling is fortunate in having a theatre that offers the same high class productions that are being shown in the larger city theatres—Grayling Opera House. In the remainder of year 1924 the pictures offered by the management of this theatre will be bigger and better than has ever been shown in Grayling. What is the seating capacity of this theatre? Who is the manager?

THE GIFT SHOP. B. A. Cooley

This is Grayling's foremost gift shop. This is the home of "Gifts that last." Everything that goes to make up a first class stock, including diamonds, pearls, watches, clocks, jewelry, cut glass, silverware, a large assortment of souvenirs, in leather, wood, sweet grass, and a fine line of Indian moccasins, an exceptional array of fine merchandise. Mrs. Cooley also carries a complete line of ladies' and children's ready-to-wear, millinery and guaranteed Cadet hosiery and "Reducing Rubber" stockings. Select your gifts from this dependable store. The giving of a gift is a gift in itself. A gift of jewelry in its enduring beauty keeps alive the memory of giver and the giving. Its intrinsic value grows. Its charm is unchanging. Both Mr. and Mrs. Cooley are adepts in gift selection. They will welcome an opportunity to aid in the selection of an appropriate gift. During their business career these dealers have maintained a high standard of merchandise and service to the public. Honest representation in all transactions is the foundation upon which this enterprise has been built. What brand of Souvenirs does this store feature?

T. W. HANSON. Lumber & Building Supplies.

The lumber company that accepts the responsibility for the material that goes into the construction of your home, is taking upon itself a serious obligation, and because they realize this fact, T. W. Hanson, handles only the best. How will it look ten, fifteen or twenty years from now? This is an important question. Money spent in building is money permanently invested. An apparent saving now may mean a real added expense within a few years. You can't be too careful in choosing the material for your buildings. This enterprise was established with the object of furnishing the best materials obtainable for the builders of this vicinity at the best possible price. They have been successful in following this ideal is well indicated by the growth of the firm. It is of course impossible in this limited space to mention the many high grade items which they sell, but if a first class lumber company should have it, you will find it at T. W. Hanson's. One piece or a car load. This firm specializes in the famous Asphalt shingles and is noted for its quality and service. Satisfaction guaranteed at all times. How long has Mr. Hanson been in business in Grayling?

GRAYLING FUEL CO. T. P. Peterson & Chris Hoesli, Proprietors.

Summer weather makes us forget our fuel problems for the present at least. However, the best time to order your next season's fuel is when the supply is plentiful and the price is lowest. The coal dealers hold an important position in the minds of the public at this season. Grayling has several of these dealers, foremost of whom is the Grayling Fuel Company. Experience and an established reputation for handling the best market affords has placed this firm high in the opinion of the people. When your coal comes from them you are sure of genuine, no substitutes. They are always at your service to explain the proper and most economical fuel to use. Insure fuel economy by using the right kind of coal. For service and satisfaction deal with the Grayling Fuel Company. What kind of soft coal does this firm feature? What is their phone number?

AVALANCHE—PRINTING O. P. SCHUMANN, Editor.

Type that made to read has higher purposes. Ideas expressive of certain ideals, quality or construction can be obtained by the judicious use of type faces, when properly arranged. Distinctive personality attaches to every business as well as every individual. Printing expressive of furniture differs materially from printing most appropriate for shoes, etc. The Avalanche has equipment exactly suited for your requirements. Boost your home community by getting your printing done at the Avalanche office. What is their phone number?

Each of these paragraphs represents one of Grayling's progressive commercial interests. Become familiar with the advantages offered by these merchants by reading the facts included on this page. Answer the questions asked, and win one of the following prizes:

FIRST PRIZE—Mahogany clock, value \$12.00 from B. A. Cooley's Gift Shop.

SECOND PRIZE—Set of silver knives and forks valued about \$10.00 from Carl W. Peterson's.

The names of the winners will be announced on the screen at the Grayling Opera House on Wednesday, July 16th.

IMPORTANT!

Do not fail to read and profit by the paragraphs following. Grayling's leading commercial interests are included in these paragraphs, and the writer has attempted to show the people of this community a few of the most important reasons why you should do your shopping in Grayling. These paragraphs include something of advantage to every reader of this paper, and if you will carefully read them over you will not only be eligible for one of the prizes offered, but you will gain a better understanding regarding the advantages offered by trading with these merchants. Several questions are asked regarding something of importance about each of the interests included in these paragraphs. To the person, who answers these questions nearest correctly, in writing, and either takes or sends them to the Crawford Avalanche by Saturday, July 12th, the first prize will be awarded. Neatness and punctuation will be considered. For the next nearest correct answer, the second prize will be awarded. If you are not familiar with the correct answers these can be obtained from the parties sketched here. This is NOT A GUESSING CONTEST, for there is no guessing about this; you must familiarize yourself with the answers in order to compete for the prizes. Do not destroy this paper, but keep it and compare it when the answers will appear on July 17th. This will enable you to see where you made your mistakes. This is open to everyone except members of the Avalanche staff. Address replies to "What's What Editor," in care of the Crawford Avalanche.

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BANK OF GRAYLING. Marius Hanson, Cashier.

The subject of this number is the Bank of Grayling. Grayling's bank of friendly service. This reliable banking institution offers the people of this community impartial service which is not measured by the size of their patrons' accounts. The same degree of courtesy and helpful cooperation is accorded to the small depositor as is given to the larger depositor. You are welcome there as an individual and served as an individual—not as an "Account." This bank has the people's interest at heart, and stands ready at any time to assist their clients in the solution of their problems. If you wish sound advice in seeking credit, making investments or even the more personal problems of your business, you will be welcome at this bank. This service is in addition to that commonly attributed to banks, and is a mark of their appreciation of your account. Name the officers? What year was it established?

M. A. ATKINSON. South Side Grocery.

The commercial interests of Grayling are most diversified in their character, each covering a particular line of endeavor in the highest standing of efficiency. This is particularly true of the South Side Grocery. Here we find a complete assortment of staple and fancy groceries, fruits and green vegetables. In fact this store endeavors to supply the residents of Grayling with the best of everything for the table. Phone your order and you receive prompt and efficient attention. You are certain of delivery in time for your meals when you order of M. A. Atkinson. This store is operated upon the basis of quality and sanitation. Perishable goods are kept under the best of refrigeration. Courtesy is always shown patrons; the welcome you receive here is the sort that makes a chance buyer a regular and satisfied customer. Give this dependable store a trial the next time you order, it will be appreciated. Mr. Atkinson also has the local agency for the Overland and Wyllis-Knight cars, give him a chance to demonstrate the new models before you buy that new car. What famous brand of flour does this store feature? How long established in Grayling?

HANS PETERSEN. Grocery.

There are many features that go to make up a first class grocery. Chief among these are—Quality merchandise, Prompt Service, Sanitation and Price. Customers are always accorded the very best of staple and fancy groceries, domestic and imported fruits and vegetables of all kinds. Every housewife in Grayling and vicinity should become familiar with the high standard of goods and service maintained at this store, as well as the exceedingly fair prices quoted. The success of this enterprise has been built upon satisfied customers. A distinct advantage in doing business with this merchant is the assurance of clean, wholesome foodstuffs always. Absolute cleanliness and sanitation is always in evidence. When your table supplies come from Petersen's you can depend upon the quality. Give him a trial with your next order; you will receive prompt and courteous service always. What famous brand of coffee does this store feature? How long has Mr. Petersen been established in business in Grayling?

SALLING HANSON CO. Lumber Mfrs.—Real Estate— 50,000 Acres of Lands. Hardware Dept.

When people of Grayling and the surrounding territory are in need of hardware, one of the first stores that come to mind is the Salling Hanson Co. Here we will find what you need in general hardware, oil stoves, household supplies and builder's hardware. You will also find the prices right and the service unexcelled. Two highly important factors that have tended greatly toward the success which this firm enjoys are quality and service. The management of this establishment believes as do all local residents, that Grayling, by trading with your local dealers, help boost your community by spending your dollars where they will do Grayling some good. This store will furnish you with what you want when you want it. Their customer's satisfaction is their first consideration. With this thought in mind these dealers have built their stock to supply the every day needs of the people. You are always welcomed at this store in a manner that makes trading there a pleasure. How long has store been established? What famous oil stoves do they handle?

EMIL KRAUS. Dry Goods & Shoes.

The "Home Loyalty and Prosperity" feature would be incomplete if we failed to represent Emil Kraus, dealer in general merchandise. A full stock of dry goods, notions, standard brands of leather and rubber footwear and men's furnishings, such as dress and work shirts, overalls, etc. This is one of Grayling's commercial assets, offering the farmers and residents of Grayling a fine assortment of high grade merchandise at close margin prices. If it can be obtained in Grayling, Kraus will have it. This is the sort of enterprise that draws trade to Grayling through the continued efforts of the proprietor to supply the people with the best at money-saving values. Why send outside for goods when you have the best at home? Spend your dollars here and boost this community in which you live. Mr. Kraus conducts his business upon economical and cash-and-carry basis. Every thrifty buyer realizes the money saved in purchasing at a cash store. Why? Because quick turnovers and ready cash enables any merchant to do business upon a closer margin. For complete satisfaction deal at Kraus's. How long established? What is the phone number?

THE VANITY BOX. Ruth McConnell.

This beauty salon offers the women of Grayling and vicinity the same conveniences and high class service that is accorded them in the most exclusive City Shops. In fact, one is given the direct attention of an expert in the art of beauty culture. At the city shops one generally has to be annoyed by an apprentice who does at least a part of your work. Mrs. McConnell has made a special study of shingle bob, also facial and scalp treatments, shampooing, manicuring and hair cutting. Get a Manicure that lasts, at this shop. Preserve the charm of your youth and beauty by having your skin and hair properly cared for. Healthy skin and hair play a vital part in beauty. Why neglect these essentials when you are accorded the service of an expert right here in Grayling? Phone for an appointment. What is the phone number? Where is this shop located?

DR. C. A. CANFIELD Dentist GENERAL PRACTICE OF DENTISTRY. GRAYLING, MICHIGAN

Office Phone, 8 Residence Phone 7-J

GRAYLING MERCANTILE TILE COMPANY. The Quality Store.

The writer of this feature wishes to impress upon the minds of the people of Grayling and surrounding territory a few of the many reasons why they should do their shopping at home. The local merchant depends upon your patronage for their success, which means your success if you reside in the community, for no town or city can prosper without up-to-date stores and institutions, all of which must be kept going by the local patronage. The Grayling Mercantile Company sell such merchandise as creates confidence with the buying public. They depend upon the quality of their commodity in developing regular and satisfied customers.

This is not always true of mail order houses and large city dealers. They depend more upon the volume of business from transit trade. Residents of this section will find it difficult to find a more complete stock of high grade, standard merchandise than is offered by the Grayling Mercantile Company. A complete assortment of Dry Goods, Shoes and Ready to Wear. This firm attempts at all times to keep in stock just what the people of Grayling want in general merchandise, and if they haven't it in stock they will gladly order it for you. Not only is the assortment complete, but the prices are consistently lower than those of the larger city stores. What famous Grayling makes of Shoes does this store feature? State three advantages accorded patrons of this store.

T. E. DOUGLAS. Nash Sales Agency.

T. E. Douglas has the local sales and service agency for the ever increasing Nash automobile. The new four and six models of the Nash are more than ever meeting with favor in this section. The determination of the Nash organization from the beginning has been to produce cars of outstanding value. With all the equipment necessary to that end—men, machines and money—the Nash organization has achieved its aim. An outstanding advantage to the owner is the fact that Nash is represented by upward of two thousand of the highest type of sales and service dealers in America. Every Nash six is 98 per cent Nash built, right in the factory. This means that every operation on every important detail is in their own hands and under their own supervision. Award Mr. Douglas the pleasure of demonstrating to you the ease with which the Nash travels rough roads at good speed. Expert repair men and mechanics will be in charge of the service department which is being provided for the convenience of Nash owners. Mr. Douglas also has the agency for the "Overhead Garage Door" made by the Overhead Door Corporation. Don't fail to let this agent demonstrate the many advantages of this door. What are the prices of the most popular models of the Nash Car?

SORENSEN BROTHERS. Furniture and Undertaking.

To the lover of the home, Sorenson Brothers' Furniture Store offers a haven, for this is community headquarters for fine Furniture and Home Furnishings. There is absolutely nothing that will make a home out of a house so effectively as good Furniture, artistically arranged. No where in this entire section is one offered quality furniture at such reasonable prices as you receive right here in Grayling. This is the home of Furniture of character; only merchandise of standard manufacture is represented. When you buy of Sorenson Bros. you are assured of two things—quality and fair prices. They invite comparison. Your home should receive first consideration. A well furnished home denotes good breeding and creates contentment always. Why not let this firm assist you in selecting furnishings for your home? They are always on the job to help the people of Grayling feather their nests. This firm also conducts a dignified undertaking business. Efficient and reverent service. A service that inspires confidence. What celebrated line of Bed does this dealer feature? How long has this store been established in Grayling?

R. D. CONNINE. Groceries.

Square dealing and prices that are always right, best of service and goods that always give satisfaction, are the fundamental principles that have a strong tendency toward the success achieved by this grocery. If success means anything to you then give R. D. Connine's Grocery a trial. A fine line of staple and fancy groceries, fruits and vegetables and the highest grade of canned goods from the leading packers and distributors. The economical housewife derives real satisfaction from trading at this store. Prices are lowest consistent with the quality represented, and service is the sort that makes you feel at home. A phone order placed at this grocery receives immediate attention. Your meals are not kept waiting because of slow delivery service, when you order of R. D. Connine's grocery. They aim to offer their patrons the best the market affords. Your satisfaction their first thought. Give R. D. Connine's Grocery a trial and become convinced. What famous brand of Flour does this store feature? What is the store's slogan?

E. J. OLSON. Shoes.

Here is a store with but a single thought—"Footwear." The home of dependable shoes for the entire family. This is Grayling's Family Shoe store, "The store that sells Better class of shoes at lower prices." The assortment competes very favorably with the larger city shops and prices are far more conservative. Correct shoe fitting is one of the assets of this institution, the proper fit of shoes is assured you for this merchant specializes in all widths. Mr. Olson, also conducts a complete equipped repair shop. He will convert your old shoes into shoes as good as new, he will do your repairing in the most efficient manner in the minimum of time. Guaranteed workmanship and satisfaction in all transactions. Only the finest grade of leather used. This together with the exceedingly reasonable prices featured, makes this the logical place to have your shoes repaired, or to purchase new ones. The prompt courteous service makes this the choice of particular people. Don't forget this store when in need of Footwear. How long has Mr. Olson been established in business in Grayling?

CARL W. PETERSON. Jewelry Store.

Numbered among Grayling's assets is Carl W. Peterson's Jewelry store. This is one of Grayling's dependable stores, the success of which has been built upon the principles of square dealing and honest values. In purchasing Jewelry or diamonds the buyer must depend upon the honesty of the seller more than in almost any other commodity that men buy and sell. Mr. Peterson has the nicest store in Northern Michigan and has won the confidence of those who have had business dealings with him, which is evidenced in the progress he has made since establishing in Grayling. When it comes from Peterson's the value is as represented, and the prices are always lowest consistent with the quality. A complete showing of high grade watches is featured. Several years experience insures high grade workmanship on all occasions. All work positively guaranteed. Keep this store in mind for better values in Jewelry and watches. Where do most valuable diamonds come from? What is this firm's slogan?

GEO. L. ALEXANDER. Attorney—Insurance.

Prominent among the business men of Grayling is Geo. L. Alexander, Attorney and Insurance agent. Mr. Alexander represents many of the leading companies of the world in all branches of insurance. When you think of insurance your mind is naturally considered to be one of the best posted insurance writers in Northern Michigan, having had wide experience in all forms of insurance, and will be glad to be of assistance in explaining your policy to you or giving you any other information regarding insurance. His advice would be of value in placing fire, casualty, tornado, and automobile insurance. Rates as reasonable as any dependable company can possibly sell insurance you are fully protected. Mr. Alexander has been faithfully serving the people of this community for the past 37 years as an attorney and has firmly entrenched himself in the confidence of the people of this vicinity. If in need of the services of an attorney don't fail to give him a trial. His advice is absolutely dependable. What is the phone number? Where is his office located?

MAX LANDSBERG. Clothing & Shoes.

Men of exacting character will find quality merchandise sold by Max Landsberg, dealer in men's and boy's clothing and shoes also a fine assortment of Ladies' shoes. You will find the newest fashions on display at this shop, and a complete stock of high grade clothing and shoes for men and boys. A feeling of confidence that comes by being correctly dressed is always enhanced by the knowledge that the merchandise comes from this store. Dealer in standard brands throughout; merchandise of tested quality is handled. The management endeavors to keep in stock just what the people of Grayling and vicinity want in furnishings and shoes. If it can be found in the county you will be sure to find it at this store. Compare prices and styles with those of larger city stores and note the advantage of purchasing your wearing apparel here. This firm does business on the principle of "Full Value for the money invested." This is the reason why people of this vicinity buy here with confidence. All signs point toward Max Landsberg. Let him help you solve your clothing and footwear problems. What celebrated brand of clothing is featured at this store? What is the store slogan?

CENTRAL DRUG STORE. Chris W. Olsen, Prop.

When the people of Grayling and surrounding country think of Drugs or Drug Sundries their minds automatically revert to Chris W. Olsen's corner, the Central Drug Store. The prescription department of this store is prepared to give you the best of service. The equipment is all new and a large stock of drugs manufactured by the most reliable wholesale drug houses is carried in stock. Mr.

Bernt Johnson, a registered pharmacist with many years of experience, has charge of this department. In the front you will find the Soda Fountain where Miss Kathryn Brown and Miss Beulah Cullen serve all kinds of delicious drinks and sandwiches; malted milk is a specialty. Sigurd Johnson is also employed in the store as a pharmacist apprentice. The back part of the store is taken up with one of the best assortments of toilet goods in this part of the state—powders, creams, talcums and everything needed for Milady's toilet are here, and many imported as well as domestic brands are carried. A full stock of the many varied things needed for the Men's comfort will also be found. Perfumes and toilet waters for ladies as well as men, of all the best known makes, are sold in bulk as well as in original packages. The candy counter is well supplied with Whitman's candy, well known since 1842, and MacDiarmid's candy. This makes a very fine assortment, and fresh stock is coming in all the time, direct from the makers. This is also the local agency for Victor records and Victrolas. Three days service for any record not in stock. Eastman Kodaks and films are sold and printing and developing is done. All prints are on genuine Velox paper, and fine workmanship is guaranteed. A nice stock of stationery, featuring the well known Eaton, Crane, and Pike lines and in fact anything you expect to find in a good drug store, is handled. The store is a Nyal agency and has a full assortment of Nyal remedies as well as other patent medicines and remedies. What is the phone number?

SHOPPENAGON INN.

Thos. Cassidy, Prop.

This is one of the bright spots of Crawford county, this strictly modern and up-to-date institution. It is a big drawing card for the travelling public, for here one is offered every convenience. This hotel is conducted along modern hotel principles, under the able management of Thos. Cassidy, whose first thought always is the comfort of his guests. It enjoys the reputation of being one of the best small town hotels in the state of Michigan. Mr. Cassidy is well known to commercial men and during the time he has been in charge of the hotel he has made many improvements. Cleanliness and stringent sanitation is paramount. One could not get better accommodations at any price. Every room with hot and cold running water; steam heat and every modern convenience. The dining room service is also a feature, full course, home cooked meals, prepared and served as only the Shoppenagon knows how. Why not take the family to Shoppenagon Inn for Sunday dinners? Why drudge over the preparation of a Sunday meal when this hotel serves such delicious dinners, for less money than it costs to prepare the meal at home? Give the wife a Sunday off. State three reasons why this hotel is popular with the travelling public.

A. M. LEWIS. Drugs.

The modern pharmacy more than ever represents an essential part of the commercial interests of every community. The Lewis Pharmacy exemplifies the modern drug store of today, operating under the direct management of a licensed pharmacist. Prescriptions given expert and careful attention. Only the highest standard of drugs and chemicals used. A complete line of high grade merchandise, including everything one could hope to find in a thoroughly up-to-date store. The celebrated Rexall remedies are featured. These medicines are compounded of the very best ingredients and are dependable always. This store is also headquarters for a full line of imported and domestic perfumes and toilet necessities. Merchandise sold at Lewis's is of established quality and dependability. When you purchase your drug needs there, you are assured of the best at fair prices. Courteous and intelligent service on all occasions. Mr. Lewis has been in business on this same corner for 17 years. Where and by whom are the Rexall Remedies manufactured? What does the word "Rexall" mean?

BURKE'S GARAGE

George Burke, has the authorized sales and service agency of Grayling for the Ford and Lincoln cars. There are as many Ford cars manufactured as all other makes together which proves its unquestionable superior value as a universal car. This distributor carries a complete line of genuine Ford parts and accessories. They sell the famous Fordson tractor, or the best and cheapest farm implement ever invented. One of the chief advantages accorded the people of this community in buying of this local dealer is the service rendered here. They also conduct one of the most complete Ford sales and service garages in this section. The service department is equipped with every modern convenience, and all work is handled by thoroughly reliable mechanics. All repair work positively guaranteed. The New Ford prices are the lowest in all Ford history. With the recent changes and refinements that have been made in every body type, Ford cars now offer new values in motor transportation. You can take advantage of the low prices through the Ford Weekly purchase plan. Mr. Burke is also agent for the famous Delco Light. The dependable home electric plant, furnishes complete electric service for the summer cottage or farm home. See them for prices and terms. What famous Battery does this garage feature?

Home Loyalty and Prosperity

L. W. KESSELER.

Billiards.

Billiards, is today recognized as a necessity, in every town and city in the state. A recent campaign of education proved billiards to be a source of clean, wholesome recreation for both men and women. A properly conducted billiard parlor is an asset to any community, and Grayling has just this sort of an ideal place, in the establishment conducted by Kessler. It is needless to say that this is one of Grayling's most popular centers of recreation. For every lover of true sport can find relief and variation, from the tedious grind of every day routine in an evening at this popular pastime. The tables are among the best, and this place is fully equipped with every modern convenience for the comfort of its patrons. The management sees that all laws prohibiting gambling and the harboring of minors and questionable characters are rigidly enforced. You are sure to meet your friends at Kessler's, and the management extends a hearty welcome to newcomers and will see that you are entertained while there. Particular people prefer Kessler's Cigars, Smoker's supplies, Candies. Soft Drinks of all kinds on sale. Try their good Coffee. How many pocket billiard tables has this parlor?

THE HAT SHOPPE.

Angela Amborski.

At this millinery shop we find an exquisite array of last moment creations of striking originality. This shop features hats from the leading manufacturers as well as many original designs of their own make. A hat to conform with the individual tastes and requirements of every woman. This is the home of quality, originality and reasonable prices. This milliner has been catering to the smart dresser of Grayling and vicinity for the past three years. Through her continual effort to supply the public with exclusive millinery at prices that larger city shops do not attempt to compete with, this has become one of the most popular milliners of the county. Many of her established customers come from out of town, as they are familiar with the exclusive styles and money saving values accorded to them at Miss Amborski's. A comprehensive showing of the newest smartest materials in jaunty shapes with the newest trimmings and appealing colors for the midsummer season. Keep this store in mind and you will be pleased with the assortment and service. State three advantages in selecting millinery at Miss Amborski's.

KERRY & HANSON.

Flooring Company.

Manufacturers of the very best grades of Maple, Beech and Birch Floorings. Maple, the floor of manifold uses. Its tough-fibered, tight-grained surface polishes where friction pulverizes stone. If you plan to build a home or office, factory or store, school, church, hotel building or apartment, you should know about Maple, Beech and Birch. This is one of Grayling's most progressive enterprises. Their list of established customers prove with them aggressive progress does not mean indifferent service. Success, as these people measure it, is in the terms of superlative and supreme quality—with prices at all times commensurate with the value they represent. The Kerry & Hanson Flooring Company are always on the job to supply the people of this community with high grade Floorings for every purpose. The dependability of the material, together with the supreme quality of their product has made it possible for this firm to export large shipments of flooring to Europe. The excellent service rendered their patrons makes doing business with this company a pleasure. No order too large or too small to receive prompt attention. How long established?

OLAF SORENSON & SONS.

CONFECTIONERY, CIGARS, ICE CREAM, SPORTING GOODS AND EVERYTHING MUSICAL.

This enterprise needs no introduction to the people of this community, for it is one of the bright spots of Grayling. When you think of choice ice cream, think of Connor's brand, sold exclusively by this store. A fine assortment of box and bulk Candies and delicious Ice Cream offered. A fresh supply always on hand. Their fountain selections are original and delicious and served in the most appetizing manner. Utmost sanitation has much to do with the popularity of his store. Olaf Sorenson & Sons also carry a complete line of musical instruments and sporting goods. This is the home of "Everything Musical." No matter what your home surroundings may be, it can be made happier, brighter and better by the influence of music. This firm is always at your service to supply the people of Grayling with high grade musical instruments which promote the feeling of good cheer. If interested in fishing tackle, or any kind of sporting goods, don't fail to call at this store. They have what you want, when you want it, and are always anxious to help you in your selections. What kind of pianos does this store feature? How long established in business in Grayling?

PALMER FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY.

In presenting this feature to the public, the writer is attempting to represent one of the foremost and most dependable commercial and professional interests of this community. Insurance does perform a public service.

It is a basic business. It stabilizes credit, assumes hazards and absorbs the shock of disaster. Mr. Business Man, what would your credit be worth without sufficient and dependable insurance? We cannot imagine civilization without it. The Palmer Fire Insurance Agency represents many of the oldest and strongest insurance companies in the world. At present prices of replacement, are you fully protected? Call and get a household inventory book free. If you do not understand your policy they will be glad to assist you by explaining it to you. Your home or your business may burn at any time. Why take chances when this agency is on the job to write you a policy in one of the leading companies of the world? Service is the key note of this firm's success. "Better be safe than sorry," is a good motto to cling to. Better to have insurance and not need it than to need it and not have it. When you think of insurance just think of the Palmer Fire Insurance Agency. What is the name of the building in which this firm is located?

A. S. BURROWS.

Meats.

If you are a vegetarian, you are missing one of the good things of life. There is nothing more satisfying to the appetite than a choice cut of well prepared meat, especially if it comes from A. S. Burrows' Meat Market. Meat is the strength and muscle-building food of the American people. However, it is one of the foods that should be chosen with infinite care and from a market that handles only first class quality and keeps its meats under the best refrigeration. This market offers everything one could hope to find in a strictly modern and thoroughly sanitary shop. Quality is paramount with this dealer. When you purchase of him you are assured of the best the market affords. Meat purchased from this shop comes to you direct from the local market. Fish and oysters in season. Patrons are assured a hearty welcome and courteous service. Mr. Burrows solicits your patronage and offers the best, sold at fair prices. Give him a trial. State three advantages accorded to people who trade at this market.

ALVA ROBERTS.

Meats.

Most business interests aim to give quality merchandise and good service. Alva Roberts does not aim at these things, but instead, makes them a virtue. He maintains a high standard of efficiency and quality that is excelled by none. Particular people appreciate the service accorded them at this market. The choicest and freshest meats are sold here. This dealer has built his business upon the basis of quality and service to the people. Customers are always served in a courteous manner that makes trading here a pleasure. It is needless to say that this merchant is serving his patrons with the best the market affords, for his established trade is sufficient proof of this fact. Prices are the lowest that first quality meats can possibly be sold for. The high class service accorded you is free, just one of the advantages of doing business at Alva Roberts' market. How long has this market been established in Grayling? State three advantages accorded the patrons of this store.

L. J. KRAUS.

Hardware.

Considered from some viewpoints thirty years is a short lifetime, but in the light of establishing a business, Grayling has made it possible for L. J. Kraus to become known as one of the most reliable and satisfactory places in this entire section at which to buy—that means the life of any enterprise. This store lives by virtue of quality and assortment of goods to be found there, the courtesy shown you as a patron, and fair prices quoted on all merchandise. It has always been Mr. Kraus's endeavor to benefit you as an individual as well as the community in which he lives. He has always kept this thought in mind when ordering goods. A satisfied customer means more to him than a sale. He carries a complete assortment of general and builders' hardware, general supplies, stoves, ranges, paints, varnishes and has a complete line of sporting goods and fishing tackle. In fact everything usually carried in stock by the foremost hardware store of a community. This is the home of "Hard ware that wears hard." Keep this store in mind for your needs in their line. What brand of Paint does this store feature?

NICK SCHJOTZ.

Pure Food Store.

This sanitary grocery, operated on the principles of quality merchandise, sold at fair prices and prompt and courteous service always. Every thing for the table, staple and fancy Groceries, Fresh Fruit and Vegetables. The quality throughout is the very best obtainable from the leading packers and distributors. It is the aim of this merchant to give such values and service that a chance buyer becomes a regular and satisfied customer. Everything sold at the "Pure Food Store" is positively guaranteed. Another feature of advantage is the fine assortment of Green Goods, including a full line of fresh Vegetables and Fruits. This firm is thoroughly experienced groceryman and has had extensive experience in buying as well as selling of this class of goods. This enables him to know the market and to buy at the proper place where lowest prices prevail. This is the reason why you can buy the best at conservative prices at this store. What brand of flour does this store feature?

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Locals

THURSDAY, JULY 3, 1924.

Mrs. Lena Collier of Lansing is a guest of Mrs. George Olson.

Mrs. Charles Coyle returned Tuesday from Saginaw where she had been visiting friends for a few days.

Mrs. Nels Corvin was called to West Virginia the latter part of the week owing to the death of her father.

Miss Mary Cooley of Bay City is spending the summer visiting at the home of her brother B. A. Cooley.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hartwick and Mrs. Ralph Roulter arrived Thursday to spend the summer at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Andrew Brown's Sunday school class enjoyed a picnic at the Military reservation Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Alger of Saginaw was the guest of Mrs. Harry Pool for the past week, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. C. L. Smith returned the middle of last week from a several weeks visit with her daughter Miss Lillian who is employed in Detroit.

Mrs. O. W. Roeser and son Waldemar of Saginaw visited in Grayling a couple of days last week enroute to Johannesburg to visit Mr. Roeser. Mr. Roeser operates a drug store in Johannesburg.

T. P. Peterson and family motored to Johannesburg Monday to accompany Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peterson to Grayling to attend the Sorenson-Davidsen wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Niederer accompanied them to Johannesburg Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roblin and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gillett motored to Bay City Saturday. The Gilletts remained at Bay City while the Roblins went to Owosso to procure a house, as they are expecting to make house as they are expecting to make Owosso their home in the near future. Both parties returned home Tuesday.

A beautifully appointed dinner party was given by Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph at their home Thursday evening. The thirty-eight guests present were seated at small tables decorated with daisies and poppies. The evening was spent playing bridge. Mrs. Harry Friedman of Milwaukee and Holger Hanson holding the highest scores.

Program—Week Beginning Thursday, July 3

Grayling Opera House

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, JULY 3rd and 4th.

ANTONIO MORENO and AN ALL STAR CAST

IN

"TIGER LOVE"

Comedy—"SON'S IN LAW"

SATURDAY, JULY 5th.

Madge Kennedy and Monte Blue

IN

"THE PURPLE HIGHWAY"

Comedy, "FULL SPEED AHEAD" with Al St. John

SUNDAY and MONDAY, JULY 6th and 7th.

THE SEASONS SENSATIONAL MELODRAMA BY

LINCOLN J. CARTER

"THE ARIZONA EXPRESS"

Additional, "Aesops Fables" and "Hodge Podge"

TUESDAY, JULY 8th.

Booth Tarkington's Famous Novel

IN

"GENTLE JULIA"

FOX NEWS

WEDNESDAY, JULY 9th.

Leatrice Joy and Owen Moore

IN

"THE SILENT PARTNER"

Comedy, "PITFALLS OF A BIG CITY"

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Canfield leave today to spend the Fourth in Gladwin.

Rev. Spencer of Mesick was in Grayling Sunday holding services at the F. M. church.

Thomas Regan of Detroit is visiting his mother Mrs. Sarah Hiar also friends in Grayling.

Mrs. Peter E. Johnson of Grand Rapids is visiting her daughter Mrs. George Sorenson for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wolf and Miss Marjorie motored from South Bend Sunday to their cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Spencer Meistrup and family arrived from Detroit Thursday to spend the week end with Mrs. Victor Salling and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mickelson of Mason are at their cottage at Lake Margrethe for the summer. Mrs. Lydia is their guest.

Miss Eva Smith of River Rouge, arrived in Grayling Saturday to spend the summer with her brother Supt. B. E. Smith and family.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Wescott and daughter Helen of Detroit arrived today to spend the Fourth with Mrs. J. K. Hanson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Burnham of St. Louis, were in the city Monday. Mr. Burnham is the new coach hired for Grayling schools for next year.

Joyce Smith, little daughter of Prof. and Mrs. B. E. Smith fell while at play at the home of her grandmother in Tecumseh, Saturday, breaking an arm.

David C. Smith of Vassar has purchased the John Benson cottage at Lake Margrethe, and no doubt with his family will spend many a pleasant summer there.

Mrs. Harry Raino and daughter Ruth Anne of Swift Current, Saskatchewan, Canada are spending the week visiting her sister Mrs. Guy Reed of Twining.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jorgenson and the latter's mother Mrs. Chas. Wilber returned Saturday from Itasca where they had been spending a few days visiting relatives.

Because of the fact that many of the band boys will be out of the city Friday to celebrate the 4th, the usual weekly band concert will be played Thursday night instead.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell and Mr. and Mrs. William M. Horsell motored from Cleveland Thursday and will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Holger Peterson.

Mrs. Ralph Warner of Detroit is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson and family. Mr. Warner and Charles Smith of Detroit spent the week end in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon R. DuBois and daughter Miss Jean, of Grand Rapids arrived in Grayling today to spend some time at the home of Mrs. DuBois' sister Mrs. Oscar Schumann.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. Church will meet Friday, July 11, with Mrs. Olaf Mickelson at Lake Margrethe. Come with your baskets and spend the day as a pot luck dinner will be served.

Mrs. Mary Goudrow and Mrs. Josephine Conklin and two children left last Saturday noon for Linden, Mich. to visit the Jake Colleen's family expecting to be gone most of the summer. They will also visit in other places while gone.

Mrs. Mary Turner returned Friday from the Soo, where she had spent a couple of weeks visiting her son George Cowell and family. Mrs. Turner went in time to be present at the graduation exercises of the Soo High school, her granddaughter being a member of the class.

James Milne of Saginaw, who a few years ago purchased the Garrison cottage at Lake Margrethe, this year has built two fine new cottages. They have concrete block foundations and screened porches and are built for comfort. He has one fully completed, which he has rented to a party from Saginaw for the summer and the other is nearing completion.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet on Wednesday afternoon, July 9th, with Mrs. John Zeder at her cottage at the Danish landing. The topic for the program is "Medical Missionary Work Among Lepers in our Country."

Leader, Mrs. Ella Smith. Members and friends wishing a ride out to the cottage, please meet at Danebod Hall at 1:30 p. m. A pot-luck supper will be served. Signed by Secretary.

Miss Eva Hendrickson was pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening, her mother having invited in a number of her friends to help celebrate the young lady's birthday anniversary. Most of the guests included friends of the family who reside near Roscommon, there being 18 in all. Mrs. Hendrickson planned the party and late in the evening served the guests with a delicious lunch. The table was adorned with a pretty birthday cake holding 18 candles. All enjoyed themselves very much.

Arthur C. McIntyre of this city was included among the two hundred and thirty-five students who were graduated on Monday, June 16 at the sixty-sixth annual commencement of the Michigan Agricultural College. McIntyre took the course in Forestry, under the Agricultural division. Arthur McIntyre is a Grayling boy and the son of Mrs. Ella McIntyre. He is a graduate from Grayling high school, and together with Ransom Burgess, was the first Crawford county boy to answer the draft call in the world war. When he finished his service he wore the stripe of first Lieutenant. Congratulations are in order.

A. D. Hall of Anderson, Ind. and George Hall of Lake Orion, old school friends of Prof. Ed. Clark surprised him by dropping in Saturday for a few days visit. Mr. Clark says he had not seen A. D. for thirty years, when they were boys together in Binghamton, N. Y. and his coming was a great surprise and pleasure. He was greatly surprised at what there is around Grayling as attractions for tourists, and claims that Grayling could support a summer hotel large enough to accommodate several hundred people and have it filled throughout the summer season. He is manager of several large hotels, one of which is in Miami, Florida, and says he has no doubt of the statements he has made. Will the person who stole my auto trailer please return at once and save trouble. Neils Neilsen.

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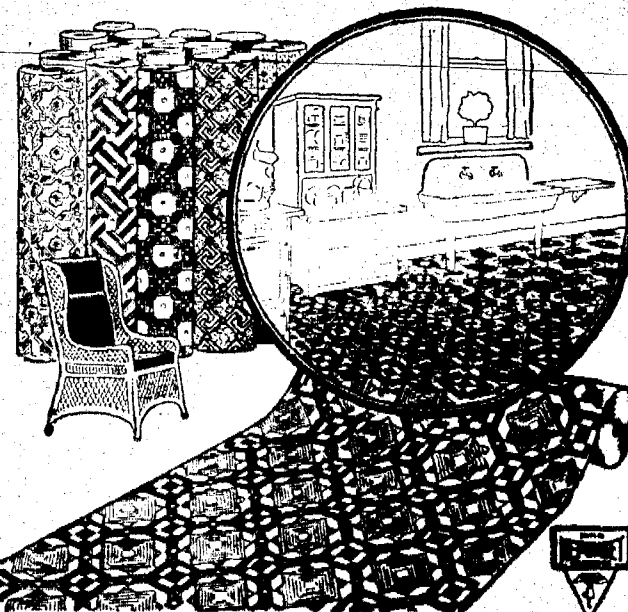
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SAVED FROM AN OPERATION

Mrs. Shaw Calls Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a God-Send to Sick Women

Cambridge, Maine.—"I suffered terribly with pains and soreness in my sides. Each month I had to go to bed, and the doctor told me to go under an operation before I could get help. I saw your advertisement in the paper, and I told my husband one day to get me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Before I took the third dose I felt better. I took it four times a day for two years, getting better all the time and now for four years I don't have any pains. After taking the medicine for two years I had another child—a lovely baby girl now four years old—the life of our home. I do praise this medicine. It is a God-send to women who suffer with female troubles and especially for pains at the periods. I surely was very bad once, and I know that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved me from an operation."—Mrs. JOSIE M. SHAW, Route No. 1, Cambridge, Maine.

A country-wide canvass of purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound reports 98 out of every 100 were benefited by it. For sale by druggists everywhere.

Turks Must Kill Crows

To relieve the city of Constantinople and its suburbs of a destructive plague of crows the authorities are issuing free powder and shot, and every male citizen is required to present at least one dead crow to the nearest police station or pay a fine of 125 piastres.

Always present in large numbers this year these crows, or more precisely rooks, have become a pest and have done much damage. They have ravaged the truck gardens around the city and on the Prinkipos Islands, those beautiful resorts in the Sea of Marmora, they have caused a water famine. The water supply of the islands is solely from cisterns, and the birds have so fouled the roofs as to make the water unpotable.

Weak and Miserable?

Is a lame, aching back keeping you miserable? Are you "tortured" with sharp, stabbing pains? Do you feel "all-played-out"? Then look to your kidneys, for these are common signs of kidney weakness. There may be headaches and dizziness, too. Don't risk serious kidney sickness. Help your weakened kidneys with **Doan's Pills**, a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Doan's have helped thousands and should help you. Ask your neighbor!

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Mixed Metaphors

An invalid, after returning from a trip, said to a friend, "Oh, it's done me a world of good, going away. I've come back another man altogether; in fact, I'm quite myself again."

Some people are born poor, some achieve poverty and some thrust poverty upon other people.

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Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

MARY GRAHAM BONNER

CHIPPY AND SHARPY

"Let's have a frolic and a game and a race," said Chippy Chippy the squirrel.

He had been named after his grandfather, Chippy Chippy and there was a famous chipmunk named Chippy Chippy too.

Sharpy, the squirrel, looked at Chippy and said: "All right, Chippy, I'm always ready for some fun."

So Chippy Chippy and Sharpy started to play.

"We'll play tag first," said Chippy Chippy.

"Good," said Sharpy, "you can be 'it'."

"No, you be 'it,'" said Chippy Chippy. And Sharpy agreed, because if neither of them played "it" they couldn't have the game.

Sharpy chased Chippy Chippy from one tree to another. At one time Chippy Chippy jumped a great big jump, but Sharpy was after him.

"Then Chippy Chippy jumped another enormous big jump, but Sharpy didn't like that so well."

He jumped though and tagged Chippy Chippy so that Chippy Chippy was "it."

Then Chippy Chippy chased Sharpy and Sharpy ran down the side of a tree and along the lawn and came to another tree.

He got quite far ahead of Chippy Chippy doing this as Chippy Chippy hadn't thought he would run down the tree and along the lawn.

But Chippy Chippy hurried after him when he saw what he was doing.

And after a time he caught up with Sharpy and Sharpy once more was "it."

They played this game for some time and then they decided they would play hide-and-seek.

Sharpy had a beautiful hole in one of the trees in which to hide.

And he was anxious that Chippy shouldn't find him for awhile, as in the



There They Sat and Scolded

tree was a most delicious nut which had been put there some time before and which had been forgotten about.

But Chippy Chippy came just as Sharpy was enjoying the nut.

"Let's not play hide-and-seek any more," said Chippy. "I feel the need of a little nourishment."

"Ah, but it's my nourishment," said Sharpy.

"But I am willing it should be mine, too," said Chippy Chippy.

"Oh, but I'm not," said Sharpy.

"But I am," said Chippy.

"That's not fair," said Sharpy.

"Who says it isn't fair?" asked Chippy.

"I do," said Sharpy.

"I don't," said Chippy. "And I'm as good a judge as you are."

"You're not," said Sharpy.

"I am," said Chippy.

"But I say you're not," said Sharpy.

"But I say I am," said Chippy.

And there they sat and scolded each other until the afternoon had almost gone.

And the great joke of it all was that while they were scolding over one nut the other squirrels had been jumping from place to place and had had most astonishing luck in finding good things to eat.

But the quarrelling of Chippy and Sharpy took so much time that they missed all the real feast.

It was night-time when they both finished arguing, but by that time both of them were too tired to scold any more.

And so they went to bed and to sleep, weary and worn out. And also with very empty little tummies.

The exercise they had had made them hungry, but alas, they were too tired to get their food and no one else seemed to feel like handing it to them on a tree tray.

No, the others did not seem to feel like waiting on Chippy Chippy and Sharpy the squirrel but seemed to think it was a great joke that they had wasted their time in an argument over one poor little nut.

What Happened to Goliath
The little daughter of a minister was very much interested in an illustrated Sunday school paper in which David was portrayed in the act of cutting off Goliath's head. Her mother, thinking to instruct her, asked, "What happened after Goliath's head was cut off?"

"I guess," said the little girl, "that all the sawdust wound up."

Wind Was All Wet
Little Vivian had started out for a walk, but when she found it raining she came running back into the house. "Oh, mamma," she cried, "the wind is all wet."

Would Be an Orphan
"Why, Edward, what is the matter?" asked the woman of her small nephew, who was crying bitterly. "Mamma whipped me," sobbed the little fellow. "an' I'm cryin' 'cause I wasn't b-born an orphan."

What Johnny's Dog Was
"Is Johnny's new dog a setter or a pointer?" asked Mrs. Jones. "He's neither," replied the neighbor. "He's an upsetter and a disappointment." —Youth's Companion.

MAKES GRACEFUL ACCESSORY; SUMMER FROCKS FOR GIRLS

THERE is a song of old which says: "In tying her ribbons under her chin, she caught a young man's heart therein." According to modern version it would be a case of tying her silk knit scarf about her throat, with a grace and coquetry sure to bring a responsive smile of admiration from even the most unsuspicious.

Surely a mania for scarf wearing has taken possession of the fashion world. Especially in the field of knitted outerwear does the scarf tri-

umph as a graceful accessory in feminine favor. The modish one shown in the picture is knitted in white with wide stripes of brilliant green, showing a smart monogram in the same vivid hue. This is the sort of scarf one would expect to wear with one's tailored suit or as an article of sportswear. Other of these swarmer knitted scarves are gay in Roman stripes or Scotch plaid. It is the fashion to choose one's scarf to match in coloring the predominating shade in one's hat. For instance, a cloche with powder blue facings finds a corresponding blue predominating in the knitted scarf.

Little girls' frocks express the very essence of simplicity this season. A matter of concentrated loveliness are they in their refinement of exquisite handwork and fabric, straight and full from the shoulders, thus does Madame Fashion issue her orders in regard to tiny tots' dresses. Indeed, just mere sleeveless slips are many of the junior modes, but oh! how cunningly devised are they.

The materials selected are of the daintiest sheersort, fine dotted



Knitted Scarf Is Graceful Accessory.

swiss, batiste, and organdie. Foremost in the favored list are printed voiles which accent their appeal by being made up in unaffected simplicity.

There is the fascination of unsophisticated charm in the pretty little frock in the picture, which is in harmony with the style trend of keeping children's apparel strictly simple.

It is white with scarlet printings in wee star-like all-over designs. The hem of the skirt undulates in shallow scallops bound in soft white ribbon machine-stitched with red silk thread. A corresponding ribbon binding defines sleeve edges and the neck, where it

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THINGS UNUSUAL

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FANEUIL HALL

Faneuil hall, named for Peter Faneuil, a public-spirited citizen and Huguenot, who, having decided that Boston needed a town hall in which to hold public gatherings, and a market place, commenced the construction of a building 78 feet square which combined these features, and presented it to the city in 1742.

Twenty years later, the interior was destroyed by fire, but was promptly rebuilt, and dedicated to the "Cause of Liberty."

The present building goes back to 1806, when its size was increased to 80 by 100 feet and an additional story added. The upper floor is used now as headquarters and a museum by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts—said to be the oldest military organization in the world. Among the priceless relics is a flag used in 1633 by this organization. The second floor contains the hall which may be used as a public meeting place by any group of citizens, free of charge, on request to the city authorities.

During the Revolutionary war period, Faneuil hall was the scene of many tense gatherings. The hall was used as a place of amusement and entertainment by the officers of the British army in 1775 and 1776. Ever since the Revolution, it has been a popular gathering place and noted place for the holding of meetings, banquets and receptions. Its walls have echoed the voice of Daniel Webster, Wendell Phillips, and many other famous patriots of the time.

Situated adjacent to the old State house, and huddled in between modern office skyscrapers in the heart of the business center of "Old" Boston, this comfortable-looking structure of colonial design, bearing evidence of advanced age, is possessed of a dignified appearance and a quiet charm.

A plan is now afoot to rehabilitate, fireproof, and "dress up" this venerable hall, and thereby preserve its original beauty for another generation or two at least. While this work is in process, the wooden awning-like sheds which now disfigure this landmark of "ye olden times" will be dismantled and replaced by an iron veranda with a glass roof.

With the single exception of Independence hall, Philadelphia, Faneuil hall is probably of greater historical interest than any other building in these United States.

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"So you've had a quarrel?" "Yes, I took care of her cat while she was away, and when she came back home she accused me of not feeding it enough."—Detroit Free Press.

Good Investment
Just about the biggest work one may do for a small sum of money is to help keep up the Boy Scout movement.—Bellingham (Wash.) Revue.

The wings riches have are nearly always used in going instead of coming.

If a man could yell as loud in proportion to his size as a baby can, telephone companies would soon be unable to declare dividends.

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Too Busy
"Did you have a good time in town yesterday, Gap?" asked an acquaintance.

Grow Silk Worms
A silk farm near Oroville, Cal., has commenced operations of incubating more than 2,000,000 eggs of silk worms for the commercial production of silk, says an Associated Press dispatch. The eggs were imported from France and Italy. The farm has more than 25,000 mulberry trees planted for feeding the worms and furnishing the material from which silk is made.

Similarly Qualified
She—Father's named his new fox-hound after you, Reggie.

He—I wonder what put that idea into his head.

She—He says the dog doesn't know enough to keep a scent when he's got it.—London Answers.

Wet Weather Product
In Indo-China rice is grown under very different conditions from those in America. In Cochinchina there is no irrigation; the rice is planted at the beginning of the rainy season, and all the necessary water is supplied by the rains that fall continuously during the growing period.

Getting Even
Young Softleigh—Mr. Smith, your daughter has promised to marry me.

Old Smith—Great Scott! She said she'd get even with me when I refused to buy her a puppy the other day.

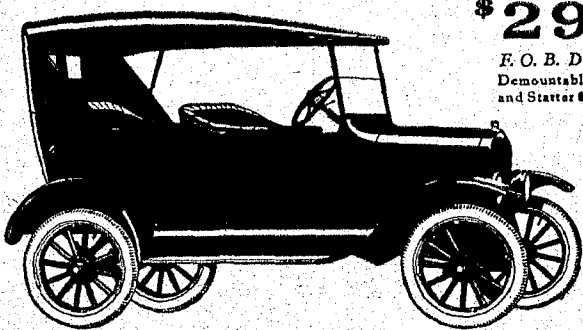
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LOOK THEM OVER.

Congressmen are now issuing their manifestos proclaiming that if renominated and elected they will try and support the Republican administration. Many of them will need to do a better job than they did at the last session if they expect to get back into the good graces of the people. It was quite noticeable that while congress was trying to thwart the will of the president, the people in the state primaries were voting almost solidly for him.

Locals

THURSDAY, JULY 3, 1924.

Harry Hemmingson of Detroit is spending the week at his home here.

Mrs. Frank Tetu and son Robert James and Miss Coletta Smith spent Sunday in West Branch visiting relatives.

Roy Brown, who has been employed by the Du Pont company in Grayling left Tuesday last week to accept the position of Benjamin Shore who recently left for Carney Point, N. J. His sister Kathryn and Mrs. Louise Davidson accompanied him motoring back Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wood and son Jimmy of Monroe, O., visited for a few days with Mrs. Dell Walt at Allendale cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Additional local news on other pages.

Peter Jensen is visiting friends in Chicago this week.

Rev. Fr. Bosler of Remus was in Grayling Tuesday.

Miss Beatrice Bennett of Bay City is visiting her cousin Miss Claribel Lovely.

Miss Margaret Cassidy of Grand Rapids is visiting at her home here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Salisbury and children of Bay City are visiting friends in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Rosenstand have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Helleskov of Detroit.

Mrs. Jess Schoonover and Miss Pauline are spending the week in Lapeer, visiting relatives.

Andrew Larson and family of Johannesburg were guests of the Hans Petersen family over Sunday.

Master Brian Brady of Owosso is spending a few weeks in Grayling visiting his cousins Francis and Joseph Brady.

Fred Parker of Flint is visiting his son Algie Parker.

Miss Dorothy Shea of Saginaw visited Mrs. P. P. Mahoney for a few days leaving Thursday for Mackinaw.

Mrs. Rosanna Case, who is employed in Saginaw is visiting at the home of her mother Mrs. F. A. Eckenfels over the Fourth.

Miss Mary McKian of Wolverine is the guest of her aunt Mrs. Chas. McCullough Monday enroute to her home from Lansing, where she has been teaching school.

Mrs. John Isenbauer and Mrs. John Mathiesen have returned from a pleasant trip to Canada, also visiting relatives in Bay City and Mt. Forest, Mich., while away.

William Cody, Sr., left the latter part of the week for Tacoma, Wash., to visit relatives. The old gentleman makes his home with his son William H. and wife in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stoelker of Saginaw arrived in Grayling the latter part of the week to enjoy camping at Lake Margrethe. Mr. and Mrs. Stoelker have enjoyed many summers at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. A. Schlotz and family of Detroit are enjoying an outing at Lake Margrethe, also spending some time in town visiting at the home of Nick Schlotz. The family were former residents of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds and son Richard, Mrs. James Reynolds and son James and Ellis Daugherty motored to Twining to spend the Fourth. The latter will visit in Au Gres with his grandparents for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Mahoney and daughter Rose Mary, accompanied Mrs. Rose Balhoff, who had been visiting here to Remus today to remain over the Fourth. Miss Rose Mary will remain with her grandmother in Remus for the summer.

A. S. Burrows and family and Mrs. Burrows' mother, Mrs. John Walker of Cheboygan returned home last night from a motor trip that took them to Flint and Lansing. Mrs. Walker will go on to her home in Cheboygan this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Duvall and baby of Monroe arrived today by motor to visit Mrs. Duvall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Jorgenson. Little Margaret Duvall has been here for the past few days accompanying her grandmother home.

Miss Vera Shier, a former teacher in the local public schools, stopped in Grayling Monday enroute to Wolverine from West Branch where she had been visiting her sister Mrs. Charles Abbott. Miss Shier has been teaching for the past year in Globe, Arizona.

Word received from Mr. and Mrs. William Raue of Johannesburg says they have arrived in London and will soon leave for Denmark. The Raues expect to be gone for a couple of months, visiting points of interest in Europe, most of the time to be spent in Denmark.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Repeck accidentally swallowed a safety pin Sunday, and it was necessary to take the little girl to Mercy Hospital. An X-ray was taken to locate the pin and to determine whether it was unfastened or not.

E. W. Creque Jr., and family of Flint and Mrs. Edna Jonkon of Detroit are enjoying a two weeks visit with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen of this city. Mr. Creque is enjoying fishing making his headquarters at his father's cabin on the main stream.

Mrs. Margaret Squires left Tuesday for New York, where she will attend summer school at Columbia University, expecting to be gone until the middle of August. Mrs. Rose Balhoff accompanied her as far as Saginaw, where she visited her daughter Miss Hetty for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Letakus and Mr. and Mrs. John Brady, daughter Jean and son Richard were in Owosso the first of the week in attendance at the wedding of Miss Kathryn Brady, who at one time made her home in Grayling. Edmund Shanahan of Lansing also was in attendance.

The Cedar street auto service station of George Burke has been improved by the installation of two new Bowser gas pumps, operated by electricity. They are handsome as well as handy, the tops containing tan-colored glass containers, showing just the amount of gasoline sold each time. Also a fine electric sign has been placed at the front of the building.

Friends of Marshall Holliday have received announcements of his marriage on Saturday, June 21st to Miss Helen May Benjamin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Benjamin of Detroit. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Holliday of Detroit, the family having been former residents of Grayling. His friends extend congratulations.

Lars Nelson, who is employed by Salting-Hanson Co. was found unconscious on the floor of the mill last Thursday by some workmen. Evidently something had fallen on him or struck him in the head as his left ear was almost severed, and his back was bruised probably from falling when he was struck. He is at Mercy Hospital where he is getting along nicely. Mr. Nelson is an old employee of this company.

Ben Landsberg returned last Thursday from Cleveland, O., where he had been visiting his mother, Mrs. Max Landsberg, who has been in that city for several weeks receiving treatment for goitre. Little Lillian Landsberg, who had been visiting in West Branch came home with her father. Mrs. Landsberg accompanied by her daughter-in-law returned home Tuesday.

Avalanche readers will enjoy seeing the writeups of our business places. It is a good thing to know something of the men and firms we deal with. A few have been missed, which was not intentional, but are now too late to get into this edition. Read the questions asked at the close of each write up. Valuable prizes are offered those getting the first correct answer to each, or the first one getting the most correct answers. You have until next week Saturday to file your answers, at the Avalanche office. The correct answers and prize winners will be announced in our issue of July 17th. Prizes will be on display at each jewelry store. See if you can be a winner.

Misses Hazel Walker and Eileen Lowery of Cheboygan visited in Grayling Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Nielsen of East Tawas are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Will Herie and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. William Powell are at their cottage at Lake Margrethe and have as their guest their son, Gerald of Detroit.

Frank Tetu and family are moving to Lake Margrethe for the summer, where they will occupy one of the Kraus cottages.

Paul Ford and family and a party of other relatives motored up from Detroit Wednesday and are spending a few days visiting Clarence Brown and wife.

Mrs. Louise S. Davidson was granted a divorce from Gordon Davidson on the grounds of cruelty and non-support at circuit court held in Bay City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jappe Smith, arrived in Grayling from West Virginia, the latter part of the week and are guests of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sodoquist and children, Clarence Sodoquist, and Mrs. Hanson of Bay City were guests at the home of John Benson over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beechum of Sterling visited Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dunham Wednesday enroute north. The couple were married on Wednesday and are spending their honeymoon at the northern resorts.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Capstraw and daughter Eileen of Detroit are visiting Mrs. Capstraw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Trudeau, Sr. Mrs. Capstraw was formerly Miss Frances Trudeau.

Albert Christie of Sterling visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dell Wheeler the fore part of last week. Mrs. Chester Madison and daughter of Gaylord visited her sister Mrs. Bert Deffrain Wednesday enroute to Detroit.

Mrs. George Burke and Miss Flossie Loskos, who have been in Detroit on business returned Tuesday. They also visited in Bay City and Marine City while away. Ivan Cameron, who accompanied them to Detroit will remain in that city for an indefinite time.

"OIL" GRAND JURY INDICTS 4

Sinclair, Fall, Two Dohenys Charged With Conspiracy to Defraud.

Washington—Indictments charging conspiracy to defraud the United States in connection with the leasing of naval oil lands in California and Wyoming, returned by a special federal grand jury against former Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall, Harry F. Sinclair and Edward L. Doheny, multi-millionaire oil magnate, and the latter's son, Edward L. Doheny Jr.

In addition to the conspiracy charges, Fall and Doheny were indicted for bribery, the charge being based on the giving of \$100,000 to the secretary of the interior by the oil magnate.

Four indictments were obtained from the grand jury by Owen J. Roberts and Atlee Pomeroy, the special counsel named by President Coolidge to conduct the oil lease litigation, following the exhaustive investigation made by the senate public lands committee under the direction of Senator Thomas J. Walsh, Democrat, of Montana.

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PROBATE NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Marilda E. Smith, late of the Village of Grayling, County of Crawford, but now deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 20th day of June, A. D. 1924, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office in the Village of Grayling in said county, on or before the 20th day of October, A. D. 1924, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 20th day of October, A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 16th day of June, A. D. 1924

George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

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